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COME UP OUT OF THE CELLAR

The sure-enough optimist is still an optimist on a rainy day. It is a fine thing to be hopeful on a fine day, but it is much better to be breezily confident on a grey morning.

With these few remarks about optimism and the weather, we propose to take a sly at St. John's position in the light of the discouraging census figures just made public.

The Times believes St. John is a larger city than the census men say it is, and that a workmanlike test of three or four scattered wards will prove that this view is correct.

Moreover, it would be of real public value to know just what the population is, for the purpose of getting a sort of starting point from which to go forward with definite purpose.

But, mark you, while the census figures as published are discouraging, this is no time to be discouraged. We cannot afford it, for one thing, and for another, there is very little solid ground to excuse discouragement.

Census or no census, St. John is a bigger, better, more progressive, more aggressive, more hopeful, more comfortable place to live in than it ever was before.

Further, there is today in this city a ripening conviction that St. John has turned the corner at the end of the long lane, or is about to turn it, provided active and patriotic citizens will sink party differences for the common purpose of considering how we shall secure the benefits of the very great advantages which this port, this city, and this province, have in relation to transportation, immigration, manufacturing, and other matters upon which material progress is largely based.

Later we must all look in the face the real bearing of reciprocity upon our prospects. For the moment, let that go.

Politics come mad might still deprive us of the improvements we expected to derive from the coming here of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Politics, if they have more in common than in difference. Unity there must be, of rich and poor, learned and unlearned, high and low, Gentile and Jew, Greek and Barbarian.

Civilization must settle the labor movement or be settled by it.

And because it is the heir in direct line of descent of all the great movements of the past, that is, because it is evolutionary, its settlement calls for no new laws of industry, politics or society. It calls for the new application of the old laws.

Some one has said that in the past we have had "politics without government, business without industry, a church without religion. We are moving toward a government without politics, industry without business, religion without a church."

Be that as it may, the labor movement is today teaching all nations that its problem can only be solved on the basis of simple humanity—all for all. There can be no resting place until we recognize democracy.

One solution after another has been proposed—eight hours, profit-sharing, reform of taxation, the living wage—all are tentative. Some monopolies have felt themselves so strongly settled on the throne that like the Bourbon Louis XVI, they will not negotiate with the people. They will not receive their representatives or recognize their union. That condition can last no longer than the Bourbons.

The past has fashioned many different instruments for a great orchestra, and it has filled the world with discord while they were in the making. But now the work of tuning is begun and the time is surely coming when they shall sound together in full harmony. There is work for all in accomplishing this new concord.

THANKSGIVING DAY. Thanksgiving Day will be more generally observed in many homes this year than ever before, and now is the time to have your dining-room furnished in the latest up-to-date furniture. The Messrs. Amlund Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, have a beautiful assortment of buffets, sideboards, dining chairs and china closets on exhibition on their floor, and a visit to this reliable establishment will sure to please everyone.

REMAINED ON THEFT CHARGE. George E. Lozan, aged 27, was remanded this morning in the police court on a charge of stealing from Emma Bati, in her boarding house in Union street, a ladies' coat, valued at less than \$10. He denied knowledge of the theft.

BOWLING TONIGHT. On St. Peter's Y. M. A. alleys this evening, St. Peter's and St. Michael's bowling teams will meet, and tomorrow evening the Knights of Columbus will play the St. Josephs.

POLICE COURT. Alfred Jenkins was fined \$4, and Charles Patterson \$8 in the police court this morning, while Peter Woods and Sarah Moran were remanded on charges of drunkenness.

The Misses Roberts of St. John are visiting their aunt Mrs. Stewart, Sackville, this morning.

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Now, secretive and elusive, You are more bewildering far. Doubt comes following doubt, intrusive, As we wonder where you are. As we rush now here—chillers—One thought cheers this hapless wretch—If not why, yet how and whether. Hurried hence, you know—and you smile.

All but while it may suit your Purpose, whosoever you will, In the near or distant future, You'll return here, smiling still. You'll return, but not as conqueror, Where it has been yours to go. Set as once more wildly guessing, Why you smile and you know, —M. S., in the Westminster Gazette.



IN LIGHTER VEIN

A CRANK. "What does your husband like for his breakfast?" "Anything I haven't got in the house."

THE PRICE OF A BATON. A story is told of Marshal Lefevre, Duke of Danzig, that of Napoleon, which illustrates his own consciousness of the qualities that had made him what he was.

An Appeal. The first appeal issued by the revolutionary agents here today says: "We appeal for the co-operation of our brethren throughout the world. Those with money should contribute funds; those with wisdom should advise plans; those with physical prowess should mount steeds and join the ranks; those with information should secretly report to those in command. We expect that our movement will succeed, if it fails, the ten days' massacre of Hang Chow and Kiating, when the Manchus subdued China, will be repeated."

It is hoped that our patriotic brethren will respond from all directions and with unanimous minds, will turn this universe about."

A proclamation credited to the revolutionary leaders in Hankow is as follows: "I come to save the Chinese people. I have no idea of acquiring position or profit."

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YANG TSE VALLEY IN REBELS' HANDS

(Continued from page 1) The run on the Imperial Bank here still continues, but the officials appear to have ample resources. They are now paying out for the first time the newly-issued dragon design dollars from the mint at Nanking, the provincial capital. Their large reserve of Mexican dollars was completely exhausted by the demand earlier in the week.

A Red Cross organization has been started here. At Hankow and Wu Chang Chinese women are serving as Red Cross volunteers for the first time in history. Shanghai is a hot bed of revolution and rumors of plots and counter plots are numerous.

London, Oct. 19.—A special despatch from Hankow last night says that the imperialists still hold the trenches, but they have lost several hundred men, killed or wounded. The fighting lasted all day. The revolutionary forces after repeated but unavailing bayonet charges fell back to Wu Chang. Train loads of wounded were brought into Hankow.

Canton, China, Oct. 19.—The provincial authorities here, alarmed at the revolutionary outbreak in Wu Chang and Hankow, are making elaborate preparations to prevent any similar movement here. An emergency measure, the importation of large quantities of arms and ammunition has been ordered. The embargo Kuncong was despatched to Hong Kong today to convey a shipment of war stores to this city.

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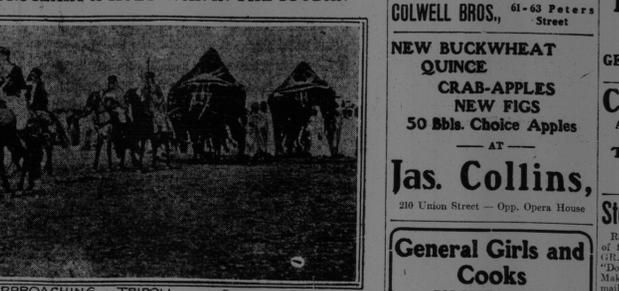
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REPORTED ARABS WILL PROCLAIM A HOLY WAR IN THE SOUDAN



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STANDING OF THE BIG MEN IN BASEBALL

(Canadian Press) New York, Oct. 19.—Official batting averages of the major league players place Fred Clark at the head of the National league list. Kirke in 29 games, leads with .382, followed by Jackson with .345 in 39 games. Hans Wagner is the lead leader, however, with .335 in 139 games. Fred Clark is next with .330 in 119 games. Then comes Miller of the Boston team with .326 in 136 games. He is credited with 189 hits, more than any other player in the league.

Schulte of Chicago leads in home runs with 22. Becher of Cincinnati is the champion base-stealer with St. Sheppard of Chicago leads in run making with 123. Marquand of New York leads the pitchers with twenty-four victories and six defeats. Grandall follows with fourteen and five respectively. Mathewson won twenty-five and lost thirteen.

J. Cobb leads the American league batsmen with .417 in 146 games. He is credited with a record of 247 hits, leads in home runs with eighty-five steals, in home runs with twenty-three and in run getting with 150 tallies. Jackson of Cleveland is second in batting with .405 in 147 games. Crawford of Detroit is third with .372 in 146 games. Bender of Philadelphia is the real leader of the pitchers with seventeen victories and five defeats. Gregg of Cleveland won twenty-three and lost seven.

In the American league thirty-two batsmen average .300 or more, while in the National league only twenty-one are similarly classified.

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